



## Early Journal Content on JSTOR, Free to Anyone in the World

This article is one of nearly 500,000 scholarly works digitized and made freely available to everyone in the world by JSTOR.

Known as the Early Journal Content, this set of works include research articles, news, letters, and other writings published in more than 200 of the oldest leading academic journals. The works date from the mid-seventeenth to the early twentieth centuries.

We encourage people to read and share the Early Journal Content openly and to tell others that this resource exists. People may post this content online or redistribute in any way for non-commercial purposes.

Read more about Early Journal Content at <http://about.jstor.org/participate-jstor/individuals/early-journal-content>.

JSTOR is a digital library of academic journals, books, and primary source objects. JSTOR helps people discover, use, and build upon a wide range of content through a powerful research and teaching platform, and preserves this content for future generations. JSTOR is part of ITHAKA, a not-for-profit organization that also includes Ithaka S+R and Portico. For more information about JSTOR, please contact [support@jstor.org](mailto:support@jstor.org).

## NEWS ITEMS

The Mississippi Valley Historial Association will hold its annual meeting at New Orleans, April 21-22.

Miss Elizabeth H. West, since 1912 archivist in the Texas State Library, recently resigned to become Librarian of the Carnegie Library of San Antonio.

Dr. George C. Rankin, editor of *The Texas Christian Advocate*, died at Dallas, February 2, 1915. He was born in Tennessee, November 19, 1849.

Judge T. S. Reese died at College Station, Texas, February 10, 1915. He was born at Selma, Alabama, February 2, 1844, and removed to Texas in 1868. He had served the State as District Judge, as Assistant Attorney General, and as Associate Justice of the First Supreme Judicial District Court of Civil Appeals. This last position he had held for ten years prior to his death.

Judge Yancey Lewis died suddenly at his home in Dallas, March 10, 1915. He was born near Gonzales, Texas, in 1861, was a graduate of Emory and Henry College and of the Law Department of the University of Texas, and for some years, in maturer life, was Professor of Law and Dean of that Department. During Cleveland's second administration he was Judge of the Federal Court of the Central District of Indian Territory.